

## Norris Proposes That U. S. Run Muscle Shoals

**Congressional Resolution Creates Federal Chemical Corporation to Develop Water Power and Nitrate**

**Would Complete Dams**

**Operation Would Be Directed by Three Persons Appointed by the President**

WASHINGTON, April 8. (By The Associated Press).—A government-owned and operated corporation, to be conducted under the supervision of three directors appointed by the President, for development of the nitrate and water power projects at Muscle Shoals, Alabama, was proposed in a Congressional resolution made public tonight by Senator Norris, of Nebraska, chairman of the Senate Agricultural Committee. The resolution will be introduced in the Senate Monday and referred to the Agricultural Committee for consideration in connection with hearings beginning then on the four private proposals for Muscle Shoals submitted by Henry Ford, the Alabama Power Company, Frederick Engstrom and Charles Parsons.

While no appropriation is asked for the development of the projects, Congressional authority is requested for the creation of a "Federal chemical corporation" and for the Secretary of War to complete the construction of Dams Nos. 2 and 3 in the Tennessee

River, as well as the making of surveys in the river and its tributaries for the location of storage reservoirs and, if necessary, the construction of additional dams there.

A formal statement issued by Senator Norris analyzing the provisions of the bill provides for the following:

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"It must be understood that this bill in no way interferes with the motion that I shall make providing for an amendment to the military affairs appropriation bill directing the Secretary of War to commence at once work on the Wilson dam.

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"This corporation will have charge of all property, including the dams, all the machinery, railroads, engines, cars, etc., amounting in value when the work is completed to several hundred of millions of dollars. The corporation will have authority in time of peace to manufacture fertilizer and to establish an agency for the selling of fertilizer anywhere in the United States, and in order to prevent monopoly in the fertilizer business they have authority to make a complete fertilizer and to sell chemicals for the manufacture of fertilizers, with the provision that such

manufacturers shall agree to the provisions of the board, it being the object of this part of the bill to prevent monopoly in the fertilizer business.

Express authority is given, if necessary, to sell direct to the farmer and to organizations of farmers.

**Peaches Poison Three**

Patrolmen Kelly and Saffer, of the West 135th Street police station, found Ephraim Inaquin, his wife and a guest, Lola Quisida, unconscious last night in the Inaquin apartment at 234 West 134th Street. Neighbors said there had been a party. Some canned peaches still remained on the table.

While they were waiting for an ambulance, the patrolmen forced eggs and mustard and milk down the throats of Inaquin and the two women. The ambulance surgeon said this was all that saved their lives. It was said at Harlem Hospital, where they were taken, that all three were suffering from ptomaine poisoning. The condition of the women is serious. The Inaquins were married three weeks ago.

## Denby Bars Political Speeches From All Naval Radio Stations

WASHINGTON, April 8.—"NOF is dead, politically."

This wireless edict to-day by Secretary Denby closed NOF—the naval wireless station at Anacostia—and all other naval radio stations against political speechmaking.

The order grounded innumerable campaign speeches by members of Congress planning to follow the innovation of Senators Lodge, of Massachusetts, New, of Indiana, and others who have been addressing constituents at home by radiophone through the naval stations.

It also solved Secretary Denby's problem of whether the navy stations should become adjuncts of the coming

political campaign, and sent chills of regret through the receivers of the myriad of politicians who were making connections for radiophone spellbinding.

Some candidates to-night were considering a possible SOS, but Secretary Denby was said to be determined. He was preparing to insist that the politicians be drowned out of the naval stations and that the order stand, for Republicans, Democrats and others alike.

A few of the disappointed ones sought solace in the reflection that the folks back home might prefer, after all, to see them face to face. Anyway, they said, they were not so sure they wanted an either mixture of their utterances, with rival wavelets from a jazz orchestra, a woman soprano, weather

reports and the prices of cheese and livestock.

Mr. Denby's "NOF is out P. D. Q." was described at the Navy Department as a temporary order to be effective until some comprehensive plan of control could be devised. It was accepted at the Capitol, however, which has been buzzing with controversy over Democratic charges that only Republicans are permitted to "broadcast," as meaning that no stay-at-home spellbinding can be conducted by either party through the navy stations from now until Election Day.

**New Phone Exchange Opens**

A new telephone exchange, which has been designated as "Havemeyer," was opened in Queens last night by the New York Telephone Company as a part of its plan to expand the system in that borough. The new office serves a portion of the area which has hitherto been served by the Newtown central office. A large number of Newtown lines were transferred to the Havemeyer switchboard.

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**Her Bridal Veil—**

May she choose one of those entrancing new conceits that frame the beauty of the bride in soft becomingness—such veils as now grace our Veiling Section, where attendants adept in draping and arranging veils are always at the service of the bride-to-be.

**Her Slippers, Hose and Gloves—**

Since footwear modes are so delightfully fanciful this season, the bride-to-be may choose with propriety frivolous affairs of glittering silvered fabrics, dainty types of soft kid or lustrous satin. And she may add to their loveliness ornaments of brilliants or scintillating slipper rings. Matching hose she will find here, too, of the rare quality that betis so momentous an occasion as her bridal day—lacy, cobwebby styles or simpler kinds. And gloves, too, of French Glace Kid in any length the bridal gown requires.

**Entrancing Frocks and Hats for Her Attendants—**

Bridesmaids' gowns of flower-like beauty, all a-flutter with petals of chiffon in any vivid or delicate color scheme the bride may choose. Also billowy affairs, quaint and picturesque, of crisp Taffeta—or clinging styles of crepe. And hats—picturesque or demure, as better suits the scheme, to match or contrast with the chosen costumes.

**Her "Going Away" Costume—**

We suggest a Costume Suit—a handsome gown-and-cape or gown-and-boxcoat combination. A host of captivating affairs awaits her selection at McCreery's.



## Women's Coats, Wraps, Capes

In A Special Easter Offering At

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(Fourth Floor)

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**Women's Footwear for Easter Wear**

At 9.75

A host of engaging models for dress, street and sport wear, among which is the season's favorite style—a one-strap affair with patent vamps and gray suede quarters or with tan calf vamps and fawn suede backs, or of all over patent leather or tan calfskin. It is known as "The Chicadee."

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At this price there is great latitude for choice in dress, street and sport models. One of the most popular styles in this group is a beige colored calfskin sport oxford with instep apron and wing tip—rubber soles and heels, or of pearl gray calfskin trimmed with Black. It is called "The Marchi."

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**New! California Sport Hats**  
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Easter

**Gloves Are Important—**

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